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Comments: Interview Request Form & Proposed Claim Amendment for  
In-Person Interview July 14, 2009

Serial No. 10/790,522

Docket No. 13768.1416

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**Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form**

Application No.: 10 /790,522 First Named Applicant: Seth M. Demsey  
 Examiner: Van H. Nguyen Art Unit: 2194 Status of Application: Non-Final

**Tentative Participants:**

(1) Gregory R. Lunt (2) Van H. Nguyen  
 (3) \_\_\_\_\_ (4) \_\_\_\_\_

Proposed Date of Interview: July 14, 2009 Proposed Time: 12:00PM

**Type of Interview Requested:**

(1) ☐ Telephonic (2) ☒ Personal (3) ☐ Video Conference

Exhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, provide brief description: \_\_\_\_\_

**Issues To Be Discussed**

Issues (Rej., Obj., etc)	Claims/ Fig. #s	Prior Art	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
(1) <u>Rejection</u>	<u>1, 19, 29, 32 &amp; 38</u>	<u>Natarajan (6,973,034)</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(2) _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(3) _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(4) _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

☒ We will discuss independent claims, scope of the invention, distinctions between the claims and the cited art, as well as proposed amendments that are still being worked on.

☐ Continuation Sheet Attached

**Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:**

(1) Attorney to present brief summary of invention (2) Attorney to discuss rejected claims and cited art, including the independent claims (3) Attorney to present proposed amended claims and discuss how proposed amended claims overcome rejections and distinguish from art of record. A copy of the proposed amended claims will be made available to the Examiner at the interview (4) Attorney to discuss any formal matters.

**NOTE:**

This form should be completed by applicant and submitted to the examiner in advance of the interview (see MPEP § 713.01).

This application will not be delayed from issue because of applicant's failure to submit a written record of this interview. Therefore, applicant is advised to file a statement of the substance of this interview (37 CFR 1.133(b)) as soon as possible.

/GREGORY R. LUNT/

(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature)

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 (Examiner/SPE Signature)

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Docket No.: 13768.1416  
U.S. Patent Application Serial No.: 10/790,522  
Filed on March 01, 2004  
Examiner: Van H. Nguyen

1. (Currently Amended) A system that facilitates a performance enhancement in message-based computing, comprising one or more computing devices configured with:

a performance-based event transmission interface across which a request from a source is transmitted to a destination; and

a filter component in communication with the destination that dynamically determines which response information is irrelevant in order to filter out any excess response information that is deemed irrelevant, such that allows only one or more relevant responses from the destination to transition are transmitted the interface to the source via the event transmission interface, wherein the filter component is part of at least one of native code and managed code and wherein irrelevant responses are discarded;

wherein the source notifies a native layer that an event handler has attached or detached.

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